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Attention - Louisiana Board of Ethics,

Please accept the letter as a request for reconsideration for the late fee assessment (enclosed) for the November 3, 2020 Election 10-G Disclosure Report for Black Organization for the Leadership Development (BOLD).

After additional research and communication with Campaign Finance, they located the original 10-G Campaign Disclosure Report for that November 3, 2020 Election that was mailed on November 25, 2020. See attached, from Campaign Finance's system

Also, Campaign Finance was able to see where discussion between us and a supervisor was made on the 25th of November and again, I want to reiterate that we were instructed to mail in the Report.

The following details were in our Original Waiver Request,

We can't explain why the Report wasn't received/uploaded by Campaign Finance; I've attached a copy of the front of the envelope with the past-mark date. With the issues we were having getting signatures and Leaders on-line access username and password set-up, we were instructed to go ahead and mail the Report in. I personally brought the mail to the post office that night because we had not heard back from Ethics' IT Department.

We also received a late fee assessment notice back in early November for the 10-P Report, however after discussion with Campaign Finance it was discovered that the 10-P Report was received and timely:

If you take a look at BOLD's past filing you'll see a history of timely filed reports and that this was an isolated event.

Thanks in Advance,

Sheldon M. Bruno